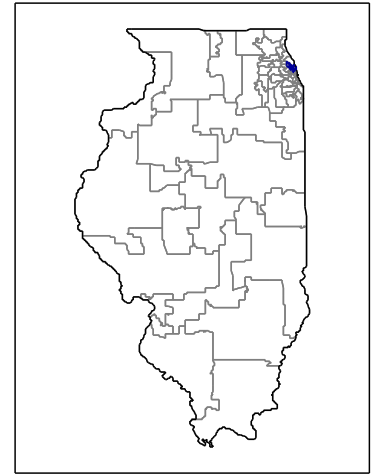


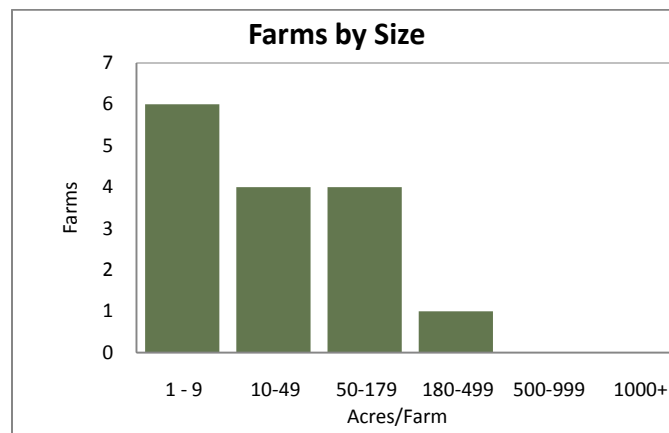
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State Legislative Profile



## Illinois Senate District 8

	2007
Number of Farm Operators	19
Number of Farms	15
Land in Farms	774 acres
Average Size of Farm	52 acres
Irrigated Land	(D)
Market Value of Products Sold	\$426,000
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$28,383
Gross Income, Farm Related Sources	(D)
Government Payments	\$21,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$5,272



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#### Ranked Items Among the 59 Senate Districts in the State, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	426	49	56
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	426	47	56
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	-	-	46
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	52	53
Tobacco	-	-	2
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	41
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	37
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	(D)	44	48
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	35
Other crops and hay	(D)	40	46
Poultry and eggs	-	-	33
Cattle and calves	-	-	39
Milk and other dairy products from cows	-	-	28
Hogs and pigs	-	-	30
Sheep, goats, and their products	-	-	34
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	-	-	40
Aquaculture	-	-	18
Other animals and other animal products	-	-	36
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Soybeans for beans	118	47	52
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	100	35	46
Corn for grain	(D)	52	52
Floriculture - bedding/garden plants, cut flowers/florist greens	(D)	(D)	41
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Not applicable	-	-	-

#### Other Senate District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	7	Farming	3
\$1,000 to \$2,499	-	Other	12
\$2,500 to \$4,999	5	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	-	Male	13
\$10,000 to \$19,999	-	Female	2
\$20,000 to \$24,999	-	Average age of principal operator (years)	54
\$25,000 to \$39,999	-	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	-	American Indian or Alaskan Native	-
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1	Asian	-
\$100,000 to \$249,999	2	Black or African American	-
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
\$500,000 or more	-	White	18
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	283	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	18,885	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	-
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	179		
Average per farm (\$)	11,937		

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of senate districts in state with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.